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APPLICATION OF )  
KAREN L. EAGLES ET AL )  
SERIAL NUMBER: 09/690,781 )  
FILED: OCTOBER 17, 2000 )  
TITLE: EFFECTS OF BACTERICIDE )  
(PERACETIC ACID-HYDROGEN )  
PEROXIDE-WATER COMBINATION) )  
TO AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS IN )  
BACTERIA CONTROL WHEN THEY ARE) )  
IN CONTACT WITH ONE ANOTHER )

GROUP NO.: 1616

EXAMINER: JOHN PAK

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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(A)**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicants, by the undersigned attorney, respectfully petition the Assistant Commissioner for Patents under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the time for filing their response so that the Amendment filed simultaneously with this Petition will be considered timely filed.

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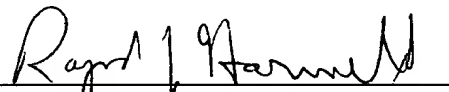
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Date

Please charge the fee for response within the first month, \$110.00, to Deposit Account Number 13-3848. This paper is also authorization to charge any insufficiency of fees due with this filing to Deposit Account Number 13-3848. Triplicate copies of this paper are enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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